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Title	:	Implicit Shared Bandwidth Protection for Fast Reroute	

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**AMENDMENT A**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of October 4, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 11 of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet(s).

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including amended drawing figures is attached following page 14 of this paper.